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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Re: Application of Pierre-Andre NOIRJEAN
PORTABLE ELECTRONIC DEVICE INCLUDING MEANS FOR
ESTABLISHING AN ELECTRICAL CONNECTION INSIDE A CASE OF
SAID DEVICE
Assignee: ETA SA MANUFACTURE HORLOGERE SUISSE
Our Ref. Q78229

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including thirteen (13) pages of the specification including sixteen (16) claims, an Abstract of the Disclosure, five (5) sheets of formal drawing containing Figs. 1-5, executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, Form PTO-1595 and executed Assignment document, certified priority document and Information Disclosure Statement w/European Search Report, English translation of European Search Report, Form PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) and copies of cited references.

Please see the attached PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT before calculating the filing fee.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>16</u>	-	20	=	<u> </u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Independent claims	<u>2</u>	-	3	=	<u> </u>	x	\$86.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Base Fee										\$770.00
TOTAL FILING FEE										\$770.00
Recordation of Assignment										\$40.00
TOTAL FEE										\$810.00

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$770.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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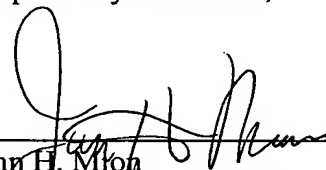
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The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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